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Ayer's
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For restoring to Gray Hair its natural Vitality and Color.

A dressing which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *It soon restores faded or gray hair to its original color, with the gloss and freshness of youth.* Thin hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed; but such as remain can be saved by this application, and stimulated into activity, so that a new growth of hair is produced. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. The restoration of vitality it gives to the scalp arrests and prevents the formation of dandruff, which is often so uncleanly and offensive. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous, and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can only benefit, but not harm it. If wanted merely for a HAIR DRESSING, nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich, glossy lustre, and a grateful perfume.

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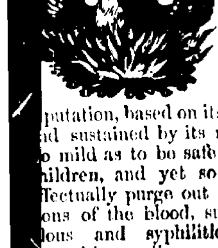

Is widely known as one of the most effectual remedies ever discovered for cleansing the system and purifying the blood. It has stood the test of years, with a constantly growing reputation, based on its intrinsic virtues, and sustained by its remarkable cures. So mild as to be safe and beneficial to children, and yet so searching as to effectually purge out the great corruptions of the blood, such as the scrofulous and syphilitic contamination. Impurities or diseases that have lurked in the system for years soon yield to this powerful antidote, and disappear. Hence its wonderful cures, many of which are publicly known, of **Scrofula,** and all scrofulous diseases, **Ulcers, Eruptions,** and eruptive disorders of the skin, **Tumors, Blotches, Boils, Pimples, Pustules, Sores, St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm,** and internal **Ulcerations of the Uterus, Stomach, and Liver.** It also cures other complaints, to which it would not seem especially adapted, such as **Dropsy, Dyspepsia, Fits, Neuralgia, Heart Disease, Female Weakness, Debility,** and **Leucorrhœa,** when they are manifestations of the scrofulous poisons.

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Bred with great care and purity of Blood. Send for Price List and get the *best stock in existence.*
June 8, 1871

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To be had of all First-class Grocers.

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THE UNDERSIGNED offers for sale, or in exchange for a good farm or prairie lands in Macon or adjoining counties, his house and lot, No. 110 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois. The lot is 160 by 177 feet, and is covered with apple, peach, pear, and other fruit trees, together with a fine young vineyard just in bearing. The house is a good 2 story brick, with 8 rooms, cellar, cistern and never failing well of water; also a good new barn, wood and coal house. For further particulars enquire at the office of the DECATUR REPUBLICAN. S. H. ANDERSON.
Decatur, March 14, 1872—tf.

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—IN—
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45 Alternate Lots
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Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
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" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 1:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:45 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 11:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.
I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:
Passenger Trains.
GOING SOUTH.
3:25 A. M. .... 5:40 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
[illegible] A. M. .... 3:40 P. M.
Freight Trains.
GOING NORTH.
3:05 A. M. ....
10.17 A. M. .... 2:25 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
8:50 A. M. .... 3:35 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.
A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't. } Chicago
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen. Pass. Agt. }
E. D. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, May 25, 1873, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.
MAIL.

Leave Toledo	11 55 a. m
Arrive Decatur	2 05 p. m
Leave Decatur	2 25 p. m
Arrive Quincy	9 25 p. m
" Keokuk	10 15 p. m
" St. Louis	7 00 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave Toledo	11 00 a. m.
Arrive Decatur	3 15 a. m
Leave Decatur	3 25 a. m
Arrive Quincy	10 30 a. m
" Keokuk	12 25 p. m
" St. Louis	7 50 a. m

EASTWARD.
MAIL.

Leave St. Louis	7 00 a. m
" Quincy	5 00 a. m
Arrive Decatur	11 25 a. m
Leave Decatur	11 25 a. m
Arrive Toledo	2 25 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave St. Louis	8 00 p. m
" Keokuk	6 27 p. m
" Quincy	7 10 p. m
Arrive Decatur	2 15 a. m
Leave Decatur	2 30 a. m
Arrive Toledo	5 25 p. m

The following freights carry passengors with tickets:

Going east	8 00 p m
Going west	6 45 a m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mall, West	2 35 p. m
" " Accom "	6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mall, East	8 00 a. m
" " Accom "	3 30 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Lafayette, Ind.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

Paris and Decatur R. R.

ON AND AFTER APRIL 7, and until further notice, Trains will run as follows:

EASTWARD.
EXPRESS.

No. 1 leaves Decatur	10:00 a. m
Arrives at Paris	2:05 p. m

ACCOMMODATION.

No. 3 leaves Decatur	2:35 p. m,
Arrives at Paris	10:00 p. m,

WESTWARD.
EXPRESS.

No 2 leaves Paris	5:40 p. m,
Arrives at Decatur	9:45 p. m,

ACCOMMODATION.

No 4 leaves Paris at	9:00 a. m
Arrives at Decatur at	4:25 p. m

MATTOON ACCOMMODATION.
EXPRESS.

Leaves Mattoon at	1:45 p. m,
Arrives at Decatur at	4:25 p. m,

ACCOMMODATION.

Leaves Mattoon at	6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur at	6:00 a. m.

Tickets can be procured at the Ill. Central ticket office.
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HAVE PROVED, FROM THE MOST ample experience, an entire success. Simple, Prompt, Efficient and Reliable. They are the only medicines perfectly adapted to popular use—so simple that mistakes cannot be made in using them; so harmless as to be free from danger; and so efficient as to be always reliable. They have the highest commendation from all, and will always render satisfaction.

Nos.	Cures.	Cents.
1.	**Fevers,** Congestion, Inflammations,	25
2.	**Worms,** Worm Fever, Worm Colic,	25
3.	**Crying-Colic,** or Teething of Infants,	25
4.	**Diarrhœa,** of Children or Adults,	25
5.	**Dysentery,** Griping, Billous Colic,	25
6.	**Cholera-Morbus,** Vomiting,	25
7.	**Coughs,** Colds, Bronchitis,	25
8.	**Neuralgia,** Toothache, Faceache,	25
9.	**Headaches,** Sick Headache, Vertigo,	25
10.	**Dyspepsia,** Billous Stomach,	25
11.	**Suppressed,** or Painful Periods,	25
12.	**Whites,** too Profuse Periods,	25
13.	**Croup,** Cough, Difficult Breathing,	25
14.	**Salt Rheum,** Erysipelas, Eruptions,	25
15.	**Rheumatism,** Rheumatic Pains,	25
16.	**Fever and Ague,** Chill Fever, Agues,	50
17.	**Piles,** blind or bleeding,	50
18.	**Ophthalmy,** and Sore or Weak Eyes,	50
19.	**Catarrh,** acute or chronic, Influenza,	50
20.	**Whooping-Cough,** violent coughs,	50
21.	**Asthma,** oppressed Breathing,	50
22.	**Ear Discharges,** impaired hearing,	50
23.	**Scrofula,** enlarged glands, Swellings,	50
24.	**General Debility,** Physical Weakness,	50
25.	**Dropsy** and scanty Secretions,	50
26.	**Sea-Sickness,** sickness from riding,	50
27.	**Kidney-Disease,** Gravel,	50
28.	**Nervous Debility,** Seminal Weakness or involuntary discharges,	1 00
29.	**Sore Mouth,** Canker,	50
30.	**Urinary Weakness,** wetting the bed,	50
31.	**Painful Periods,** with Spasms,	50
32.	**Sufferings** at change of life,	1 00
33.	**Epilepsy,** Spasms, St. Vitus' Dance,	1 00
34.	**Diphtheria,** ulcerated sore throat,	50
35.	**Chronic Congestions** and Eruptions,	50
	Vials, 50 cents, (except 28, 32 and 33),	$1 00

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Case (Morocco) with above **35 large** vials and Manual of directions, $10 00
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Within the last quarter of a century the business of this Company has embraced the acceptance of over ninety thousand men as members, the receipt of over $38,000,000 in premiums, the payment of nearly $8,500,000 in losses to the representatives of deceased members, and dividends actually returned (not promised) amounting to over $8,000,000 to the assured. At the same time the assets have accumulated and offer absolute security. The present business of the Company is represented in the receipt of ten thousand applications for Policies per annum, and an annual income of over $7,000,000.

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Further particulars in regard to this and all other plans of Insurance will be cheerfully furnished upon application to
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The *Bazar* commends itself to every member of the household—to the children by droll and pretty pictures, to the young ladies by its fasion-plates in endless variety, to the provident matron by its paterns for the children's clothes, to *paterfamilias* by its tasteful designs for embroidered slippers and luxurious dressing gowns. But the reading matter of the *Bazar* is uniformly of great excellence. The paper has acquired a wide popularity for the fireside enjoyment it affords.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

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To H. F. Baughman or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1871, for the taxes for the year 1870, Matthew Hughes purchased the following described tract of land, to-wit: The north end, east half, southwest quarter, southeast quarter of section 22, township 16, range 1, east of the third principal meridian, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 22d day of May, A. D. 1873.
JOHN N. BILLS, Assignee.
February 6-w3t.

RUSKIN.

Ruskin, in a recent article in *Fors Claviyra,* has the following merciless blast against the usual London way of living. He had just been speaking of the houses of which London suburbs are composed:

"Of the men, their wives and children, who live in any of those houses, probably not the fifth part are possessed of one common manly or womanly skill, knowledge, or means of happiness. The men can indeed write and cast accounts, and go to town every day to get their living by doing so; the women and children can, perhaps, read story books, dance in a vulgar manner, and play on the piano with dull dexterities for exhibition; but not a member of the family can, in general, cook, sweep, knock in a nail, drive a stake, or spin a thread. They are still less capable of finer work. They know nothing of painting, sculpture, or architecture; of books, they read *Mackmillan's Magazine* on week days, and *Good Words* on Sundays, and are entirely ignorant of all the standard literature belonging to their own country, or to any other. They never think of taking a walk, and, the roads around them being ankle deep in mud and flints, they could not if they would. They cannot enjoy their gardens, for they have neither sense nor strength enough to work in them. The women and girls have no pleasure but in calling on each other in false hair, cheap dresses of gaudy stuffs, machine made, and high-heeled boots, of which the pattern was set to them by Parisian prostitutes of the lowest order; the men have no faculty beyond that of cheating in business, no pleasures but in smoking or eating; and no ideas, nor any capacity of forming ideas, of anything that has yet been done of good, or seen of good, in this world."

A WOMAN MARRIES A WOMAN.

An extraordinary lawsuit is now going on in Paris. Some years ago a surgeon made the acquaintance of a young girl who soon became a mother. "I cannot marry you," said the doctor (although he was not married); "but if you can find any one else to make you his wife and adopt the child as his own, I will leave him all my fortune." But a husband could not be found who would accept those conditions. However, among the girl's friends was a school companion of hers, whose brother had just died abroad, and she proposed to take her brother's name and attire, and to marry her friend to save her from disgrace. This was done, and they duly married and lived before the world as man and wife. The doctor died in course of time, and, according to his word, left his whole fortune to the child. The soi-distant husband also died, and the secret was discovered. Hearing this, the relations of the doctor have brought an action against the child to recover the fortune. The money, they say, was left to the child of Mons. and Mme. A.; but as there was no Mons. A., there could be no Mme. A.—ergo, the child could not be theirs. The suit is still at this point, the plaintiff's case being alone heard as yet.

LAUGHING CHILDREN.

Give me (says the writer) the boy or girl who smiles as soon as the first rays of the morning sun glance in through the window, gay, happy and kind. Such a boy will be fit to "make up" into a man—at least when contrasted with a sullen, morose, crabbed fellow, who snaps and snarls like a surly cur, or growls and grunts like an untamed hyena from the moment he opens his angry eyes till he is "confronted" by his breakfast. Such a girl, other things being favorable, will do good materially to aid in gladdening some comfortable home, or to refine, civilize, tame and humanize a rude brother, making him gentle, affectionate and loveable. It is a feast to even look at such a joy-inspiring girl, such a woman girl, and see the smiles flowing, so to speak, from the parted lips, displaying a set of clean, well-brushed teeth, looking almost the personification of beauty and goodness, singing, and as merry as the birds—the wide-awake birds that commenced their morning concert long before the lazy boys dreamed that the sun was approaching and about to pour a whole flood of light and warmth upon the earth. Such a girl is like a gentle shower to the parched earth, bestowing kind words, sweet smiles and acts of mercy to all around her—the joy and light of the household.

A YANKEE in Paris, who was listening to the boasts of a lot of English and French artists about the wonderful genius of their respective countrymen, at last broke out and said, "Oh, pshaw! Yeou git cout! Why, there's Bill Devine of our village, who kin paint a piece of cork so 'zactly like marble that the minute yeou throw it into the water it will sink to the bottom kuh-chug, jes' like a stone."

WHEN a Nevada lawyer quoted Latin to the jury he is fined by the Judge "for profanity and contempt."

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In their new quarters they are much better prepared than ever before to exhibit to customers their magnificent stock of

Fine Furniture!
Which embraces
Chamber Suits!
In Walnut and Ash.
Bedsteads!
Of all Patterns and Prices.
A FULL LINE
—OF—
CARTER'S
DOUBLE LOUNGES
The most Convenient article of Furniture in the market.
CHAIRS
Of every variety.
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EXTENSION TABLES
Of the Very Best Manufacture,
Upholstered Work
Of all Grades.
CHILDREN'S CABS!
Of all styles and prices.
IN SHORT,
THE MOST COMPLETE
Stock of Furniture
Ever seen in Central Illinois.

Come and see our new store, and examine our large and splendid stock.
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Mrs. R. C. Hamsher
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And is in constant receipt of all the latest novelties in
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One door North of Warren & Durfee's.
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SIGN WRITING,
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C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-dawtf

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

A. BROWER BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb 8 '72

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

E R ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store, with Eden & Odor. [a23-dly

W. T. CUSSINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Strally's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

St. Nicholas Hotel,
N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois *Bus to and from the cars.* aug1-tf

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [J11-daw.tf

A. C. Williams & Son,
GOVERNMENT AUCTIONEERS. Terms reasonable. Office with Lee & Park, attorneys at law, Decatur, Ill. [Jan3-d6m

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

J. A. DILLON. S. P. DAVIDSON
Dillon & Davidson,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Tecumseh Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [feb20-wly.

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, EastMain street. [feb.8-'71

E. PARK. THOS. LEE
PARK & LEE,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.
EDWIN PARK, Notary Public.
[dec13,'72-tf.

LIBRARY GIFT CONCERT!

A Full Drawing Certain
$500,000 in Bank to pay Gifts.
10,000 Cash Gifts paid in Full.
$100,000 for only Ten Dollars.

ENOUGH of the 100,000 tickets issued for the THIRD GRAND GIFT CONCERT, in aid of the Public Library of Kentucky, having been sold to insure a full drawing, and the wish having been universally expressed that the 10,000 cash gifts offered should be drawn in full and paid in full without any scaling down, as heretofore, the management, with the concurrence of the trustees, have determined to allow ninety days more for the sale of the remnant of tickets left on hand. The concert and distribution advertised for April 8, is therefore postponed to Tuesday, July 8, 1873, on which day, and no other, they will positively and unequivocally take place in Public Library Hall, Louisville, Ky.

At this grand concert the following cash gifts will be distributed by lot and paid in full to the ticket holders who draw them:

LIST OF GIFTS.

One Grand Cash Gift	$100,000
One Grand Cash Gift	50,000
One Grand Cash Gift	25,000
One Grand Cash Gift	20,000
One Grand Cash Gift	10,000
One Grand Cash Gift	5,000
24 Cash Gifts of $1,000 each	24,000
50 Cash Gifts of 500 each	25,000
80 Cash Gifts of 400 each	32,000
100 Cash Gifts of 300 each	30,000
150 Cash Gifts of 200 each	30,000
590 Cash Gifts of 100 each	59,000
9,000 Cash Gifts of 10 each	90,000
Total, 10,000 gifts, all cash	$500,000

The money to pay all these gifts in full is now upon deposit in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Louisville, and set aside for that purpose, and can only be used for that purpose, as will be seen by the following certificate of the Cashier:

OFFICE OF FARMERS' AND DROVERS' BANK, LOUISVILLE, KY., April 7, 1873.

This is to certify that there is in the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank, to the credit of the Third Grand Gift Concert, for the benefit of the Public Library of Kentucky, five hundred thousand dollars, which has been set apart by the managers to pay the gifts in full, and will be held by the bank and paid out for this purpose, and this purpose only.
R. S. VEECH, Cashier.

The party, therefore, who holds the ticket drawing the capital gift will get $100,000 in greenbacks, and so of the $50,000 gift, the $25,000, the $20,000, the $10,000, the $5,000, and all the other gifts, 10,000 in number, amounting to $500,000.

The remnant of unsold tickets will be furnished to those who first apply (order accompanied by the money always having preference over agents) at the following prices: Whole tickets, $10; halves, $5; quarters, $2.50; 11 whole tickets for $100; 56 for $500; 113 for $1,000; and 575 for $5,000. No discount on less than $100 worth of tickets at a time.

The concert and distribution of gifts will begin at 6 o'clock on Tuesday morning, July 8, in Public Library Hall, and the following will be the order of proceedings: 1st. Music by orchestral band. 2d. Placing of tags (one for each ticket sold) in large wheel. 3d. Placing of gifts in small wheel. 4th. Music by orchestral band. 5th. Explanatory remarks by President. 6th. Drawing of first half of gifts. 7th. Music by orchestral band. 8th. Drawing of last half of gifts. 9th. Placing of large wheel with tags in hands of committee appointed by audience. 10th. Grand orchestral concert.

The music on this grand occasion will be the best that can be procured, and the gentlemen who count and place the tags and gifts in the wheels and superintend the drawing and keep the record of the drawn numbers will be chosen from the best known and most trustworthy citizens of the State. All will be so conducted as to be a perfect guaranty against complaint from any just source.

The payment of gifts will begin on Saturday, July 12, at 9 o'clock a. m. Tickets drawing gifts must be presented at room No. 4, Public Library building, where cash checks upon the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Louisville, or sight drafts upon the Fourth National Bank of New York, at the option of the holder, will be given for the tickets. All gifts not called for in six months from the drawing will be turned over to the Library fund.

For full particulars send for circulars.
Thos. E. Bramlette,
Agent Pub. Lib. Ky., Louisville, Ky.
For tickets or information apply to
Litsinberger & Sutton,
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
April 22, 1873—d2awkweowtd.

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The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER, Publishers.
R. K. HAMSHER, J. R. MOSSER.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, June 9.

An Illinois editor, who was enjoying himself at San Francisco when Horace F. Clark stopped issuing passes over the Union Pacific Railroad, writes to his wife that he is walking home for his liver's sake, and will arrive in the fall or early spring.

We have information (though not very definite) of a big fight yesterday at Springfield, between the Turners and rolling mill men of that city. From what we can learn we judge there was a pretty general going in, but we do not learn that anybody was killed.

Of the contest between the farmers and the railroads, the New York *Tribune* says: "The controversy will be carried into the Supreme Court of the United States, and there will receive the thorough examination which its importance deserves. But meanwhile the farmers may remember that whether the courts hold for or against them they have one remedy against extortionate charges about which there is no dispute. 'A private corporation,' said the United States Supreme Court, in Terret vs Taylor (9 Cranch, 43), 'created by the Legislature, may lose its franchises by a misuser or a nonuser of them; and they may be resumed by the government under a judicial judgment upon a quo warranto to ascertain and enforce the forfeiture. This is the common law of the land, and is a tacit condition annexed to the creation of every such corporation."

The Boston *Globe* makes a point clearly as follows, in referring to the cheap transportation problem: "Cheap transportation, even looking at it simply as a means of fraternizing and unifying our population, is a natural necessity, and even more true is the statement that the greatest good of the mass of the people is to be subserved by furnishing all articles whose consumption is general and necessary, at the lowest possible cost of transportation. The force of these remarks will be the more readily understood when it is stated that eight States in the Northwest produced 800,000,000 bushels of cereals in 1872 -eighty bushels for every man, woman and child of its population, and enough, properly distributed, to feed the whole 40,000,000 of the nation - while the East had not grain enough to last her more than three months of the year, and the four Southeastern States of South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Florida required 60,000,000 bushels more grain than they grew."

ARE ADVERTISEMENTS EVER READ?

In the course of a spicy article, answering this question, the Mobile *Register* says.

If any man affects to believe that advertisements are not read, let him advertise that he wants to buy a dog, for instance. If he is not furnished with every variety of animated sausage that morning before breakfast—and, besides, with one or two sound grounds for suits against him for assault, we will break our golden rule and—deadhead his advertisement. And it is fair to infer that any man who wants to sell a dog, also wishes to buy something with the proceeds of his canine venture. And so up to the man who wishes to sell his cargo of coffee, that he may buy a cargo of western produce.

A RAILROADER'S PLATFORM.

In the Pennsylvania Constitutional Convention, the other day, railroads being under discussion, Mr. Gowen, who is a member and who is the great mogul of the Reading railroad monopoly, laid down the following principles: There should be a free railroad law, under which any person or corporation may build a railroad whenever he or it pleases, protection to local traffic, whereby the domestic trade of the company is protected as against through trade, protection for the minority stockholders of a corporation; a constitutional prohibition against the officers of a railroad company engaging in any business along the line of the road of such company; a total abolition of the free pass system; a prohibition of any attempt by a railroad company or its officers to control the legislative, judicial or any other branch of the government, and swift punishment, both to the corporation and its guilty agent, for any such offense; a prohibition against the increase of the stock of any railroad company without an equivalent in actual money value as the consideration of such increase.

A writer in the St. Louis *Democrat* does not agree with the late convention held there to find a cheap way to markets from Chicago and points away via New Orleans, and says the great want in this country is diversified industry.

OBSERVATIONS BY MAC.

Some Things He has Noticed.

Adolescent Moustaches! I have noticed some in my brief experience—in fact, to tell the truth, I was once the proprietor of one. They generally grow on the upper lip of very young men or quite forward boys. They are not so much to be despised as you might think at first blush. They answer many useful purposes. They are good in their place, and their place is on the upper lip. They afford amusement and occupation to some who might otherwise have nothing to do. I have known one to keep the proprietor engaged in church during the whole service; he was so much engaged that the service didn't seem to annoy him in the least. They appeared to be on the most friendly terms, for while he pulled and twisted it all the time, the moustache didn't seem the least fretted. I noticed one time he tried to strangle it with tobacco juice, and while the moustache looked like a frizzly chicken after diving through a barrel of soft soap, still it was patient. I only observed one inconvenience arising out of the operation. It was this: When the young man got sleepy the moustache so engaged his mind that his slumbers were restless and disturbed. He would start, and jump suddenly, which I noticed disturbed the sleepers around him. One time he gave a very sudden, loud snort, which waked up a little boy who was sleeping soundly, and caused him to fall off the bench and bump his head on the floor. This made so much fuss it operated like cock-crowing at day light, and waked up nearly the entire congregation.

I noticed this, and was sorry; but I learned a lesson of patience from the moustache, and thought truly nothing is made in vain.

The struggle between the plow and the locomotive has something to be said on either side, but nothing can be said in favor of an effort to make the rulings of Judges sworn to decide according to the constitution and to right, bend before the interests of a class or the excitement of an hour. This is none other than creating an unrecognized court of appeal and final instance, whose decisions must accord with popular desire; and that even when this is unconstitutional, perhaps prejudicial to its advocates, certainly hostile to other great interests. It is destroying law by its own forms.—*Philadelphia North American.*

It was feared that the illness of the Czar would interfere with the great international match game of poker between his Majesty on the part of Europe, and Henry Wattorson, representing the American eagle. In case of the continued illness the Vienna Commissioners had decided to match Mr. Watterson against one of the Shah's blondes.—*Chicago Post.*

A French author, who is engaged in getting up a book on Americans, has been boring Jones to death for information. The other day he asked J., "Vat vas ze difference between ze Yankee vimmen and ze Southern vimmen?" "I'll tell you," snorted Jones, "if you won't bother me again. A Yankee woman loves her husband, children and minister about the same, and lives on codfish and pumpkin pie. A Southern woman has feet too small to walk on, and wears shoes too small for her feet."

Joaquin Miller, when chief of the Modocs, was known as Nowofadam, the Moon Gazer.

THE

Fine Shoes for Gentlemen's Wear at

POWERS, FERRISS & CO.'S,

18 East Main street, Decatur, Illinois.

June 5-dtf

Madrid, June 8, evening.—In the session of the Constituent Cortes last evening, a project was advocated by President Figuerras, calling for the proclamation of a Federal Republic, was taken up for discussion. The debate was of short duration, and the vote on the question was most decisive in the Cortes, by yeas 210 to nays 2, definitely proclaiming Spain a Federal Republic. A large crowd was assembled outside of the building awaiting the result of the vote, but no disturbance occurred.

Washington, June 8.—In spite of precautions to prevent those allowed to visit the shore from the Frolic giving any information, a few points of the examination have leaked out. The report that Capt. Hall had been foully dealt with seems to have originated in the fact that during his delirious attack he made a remark that conveyed to his Esquimaux attendants such an impression, but there seems to be no other evidence to create suspicion. It was reported from the engineer that the vessel had begun to leak badly, and that caused Capt. Buddington to order the party for supplies out on the ice. It appears that some of his favorites, as well as several he did not like, were among those on the ice when the Polaris steamed off, and this fact, together with the fact that most of the boats were on the ice with the party left, is received as conclusive evidence that there was no intentional abandonment. Great confusion and hurry seem to have attended the removing of stores and the party to the ice. The investigation will proceed to-morrow.

A friend of Senator Pomeroy is authority for the statement that at the approaching trial at Topeka a witness will be introduced who claims to have been standing outside the door during the Senator's interview with York, and to have distinctly heard the proposition for establishing a National Bank discussed, and the promise of Pomeroy to furnish the money for that purpose.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

SICKNESS OF VICTORIA WOODHULL.

REPORTED RESIGNATION OF THE ENTIRE SUPREME BENCH OF ILLINOIS.

What the Judges think of Craig's Election.

THE MODOCS TO BE COURT-MARTIALED.

A UNITED STATES SENATOR UNDER AN ASSUMED NAME.

Steamer Wrecked on the Gulf of Mexico.

A Federal Republic formed in Spain.

Chicago, June 8.—It is reported that all the Judges of the State Supreme Court contemplate resigning because of the defeat of Judge Lawrence by Craig. They say that Judge Lawrence merely delivered an opinion of the Court, and that the vote by which Judge Craig was elected, if intended as a vote of censure upon Judge Lawrence, was censure upon the whole bench. The members of the Supreme Court claim that their salaries are too small, not being so great as those to the Circuit Court Judges of Cook county; that heretofore, honor being on the Illinois Supreme Bench, kept some of its best members from resigning; but if the court is to be packed to give a decision to suit certain people, and wholly regardless of what is law, then the position loses its honor, and becomes degraded to mere scramble for office, to which the greatest demagogues will have the greatest chances of promotion. They hold that Judge Lawrence's decisions were sound in law, and the only decisions an honest man could give. It is hardly thought, however, they will resign. Craig's majority is about 2,800.

Quincy, June 8.—The arrangements for giving the grand reception to our guests, members of the Illinois Press Association, which meets here Wednesday next, are completed. The city will do itself credit. No one will go away disappointed if they can enjoy a good time. The first day includes a reception at the Opera-house at 11 a. m.; a drive through the city, to close in the evening with a banquet and sociable at the Opera-house. Liquors will be excluded from the banquet. Second day, in the morning, a business meeting at the Opera House, in the evening the annual address by General Mason Brayman and a poem by Emily Huntington Miller; eulogy on the late Major Sellers by the Secretary of State Harlow, to close in the evening with the opera "Doctor of Alcantra." Third day, regatta on the Mississippi by the Mutual Rowing Club, at 8 a. m. and at 10 a. m. an excursion to Hannibal and return on the steamer Spread Eagle. In the evening they start on the trip for the West, spending Sunday in Lincoln, Neb. Our citizens have taken hold of the arrrngements with a will. Plenty of means have been subscribed to make a grand success.

Cairo, June 7.—The wife of W. R. McCullough, the clerk of the steamboat Mary E. Forsyth, which foundered in the Gulf of Mexico, on Sunday last, received a letter this morning from her husband, in which he gives very interesting particulars of the misfortune.

The Forsyth left New Orleans on Saturday morning, reaching the Chandiliar Islands about midnight. She cast anchor, when, at 4 o'clock in the morning a storm occurred which drove her out to sea. By 10 o'clock in the morning the lower guards were cut away and much of the freight thrown overboard, but the storm did not abate, and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon she headed for an island, where she grounded in eight feet of water. The surf took away the cabin, and the men were compelled to hang to the hog-chains until 4 o'clock the next morning, when the storm ceased, and by the use of the little boat they were enabled to reach an island seventy miles from Biloxi, whence the letter was written. A fishing boat rescued six of them, and arrangements were made for the safety of all.

All were well, and Capt. Hambleton is as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

New York, June 8.—The Herald to-day publishes a four column from its special correspondent in Rome, dated May 15, purporting to give reliable information, not only with respect to the Pope's health, but also to the true condition of affairs in Italy in connection with the Catholic Church. The correspondent states that the visit to the Vatican was not to see the Pope, but to interview his Minister of State on the subject of the Pope's health.

The Cardinal states that the Holy Father was now entering upon his eighty-second year. He had an acute attack of rheumatism, but no fever, and, though pains had at times prevented him taking bodily exercise, he had never, during the entire period, interrupted his ordinary manner of living. A few days previous, after giving audience to the pilgrims of France, he had incautiously taken fresh cold, which brought on a slight relapse. "But," said the Cardinal, "he is now recovered from this, and, with moderate care, may soon be declared convalescent." The correspondent believes, from what he can gather, that the future Conclave will be held in Rome, and that an Italian prelate will be the successor of Pope Pius IX.

Mrs. Victoria C. Woodhull is yet alive, and to night she was reported as being in a high state of fever. A great many people say she is playing sick to prevent her trial to-morrow.

New York, June 7.—John Anderson, who gave Penikese Island, has completely furnished a residence thereon and $50,000 to procure Agassiz to found a school of natural science, suggests that to make the endowment ample the institution be a national one, and that State Legislatures contribute $25,000 each to the fund, and if the States can't constitutionally do this, friends of the school hope the wealthy men of the several States will emulate the grant of Mr. Anderson and endow the school with sufficient means to make it pre-eminent among institutions.

New York, June 7.—The Sun this morning states that shortly after 11 o'clock last evening, Mrs. Victoria C. Woodhull had an attack of heart disease and fell unconscious to the floor, at her residence in East Twenty-fourth street. During the afternoon she had complained to her sister Tennie of feeling unwell, and stated her fears that the excitement under which she was laboring regarding their coming trial, might result in her death. The Doctor who was called in at first pronounced her dead, but subsequently blood began to ooze from her mouth and she revived slightly. The Doctor, after consultation, stated to her family, that their efforts to save her would be fruitless. He thought she might die before morning, but advised the constant application of restoratives and to permit no one to see her. At a late hour last night Mrs. Woodhull was still alive. Miss Claflin and Col. Blood were with her throughout the night.

Her father and mother are overwhelmed with grief. Miss Claflin states that in the event of her sister's death she will retire from the brokerage business.

Washington, June 7.—The question as to whether the captured Modocs could be tried by a Court-Martial for violation of the rules of warfare having been submitted to the Attorney General, that officer decides that the war authorities can so try the Modoc prisoners implicated in the violation of the usages of war by the murder of General Canby and other United States officers.

In accordance with this decision, orders will be issued from the War Department on Monday convening a court to try the Modocs. The request of Governor Glover, of Oregon, that the Indians be turned over to the civil authorities of his State, will be refused.

A special to the Tribune says information has been received here from Vienna from official quarters, to the effect that Jackson Schultz, the present American Commissioner-in Chief, has made known his purpose to resign his position during this month. If Schulz cannot be prevailed upon to continue in his place, it is believed his successor will be selected from the rest of the Commissioners. The Secretary of State has continued the examination of that portion of the record of the investigation already received, but declines for the present to make its general character known.

The friends of Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, say that he admits the fact that he is now living under an alias. It is not thought, however, by them that this will imperil his seat in the Senate. It is claimed that a long time ago the United States made a precedent which will apply to the case, by refusing to expel a Senator elected under an assumed name. The ground taken was that the election could not be invalidated where there was no mistake as to the identity of the individual elected by legal statute.

The Secretary of the Treasury is gratified over twenty millions of reduction in the public debt to-day, and says funding operations will go on successfully in future.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue informs the Agent that his office does not sanction the practice of cutting forty and sixty pound packages of plug tobacco in halves for sale, and that half-boxes so offered for sale without stamp, etc, are liable to seizure.

Executor's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Geo. T. Shartel, deceased, late of Macon County, Illinois, will offer at public sale, at the office formerly occupied by said deceased, over Linn & Scruggs store, on

Saturday, the 14th day of June

Next, the entire stock of Dental Tools, Fixtures, Stock, Furniture, &c., consisting of two stoves and pipe, 1 washstand, 3 mirrors, 14 pictures, 1 gasometer and fixtures, 64 dental journals, 11 cane seat chairs, 2 office chairs, 1 lounge, 1 settee, 3 stands, 1 instrument case, 67 lbs. feathers, floor oil cloth, 28 impression cups, 2 vulcanizers, 1 dental sample case, 10 set rubber teeth, 3 set gold plate teeth, 55 set block teeth, 1400 single teeth, 3 lathes, 17 pair forceps, 8 pair ex. forceps, 4 pair pliers, 113 dental excavators, 16 Scalers, 18 Burnishers, 13 nerve instruments, 30 plug points and table, 113 pluggers, gold foil and gold plate, crystal gold, silver watch and chain, and sundry other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—CASH.

A. A. MURRAY, Executor.

Decatur, May 22, 1873-d&wtd.

New Advertisements.

OPERA HOUSE.

One Night Only,

Friday, June 13th.

Arlington, Cotton & Kemble's

MINSTRELS

AND

Burlesque Company!

From their Palace of Minstrelsy, Myer's Opera House Chicago,

Manager, - - - - - S. MYERS.

The Management, holding dear the trust and confidence that have been placed in this Company by a generous public in all the cities wherein we have appeared, and who has made this, our first annual tour, the most success 'ul on record, begs respectfully to announce that the Company will most positively appear as advertised, thereby forming a combination heretofore unknown in the annals of minstrelsy.

The Star Troupe of the World.

TICKETS, 50 and 75 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats, which can be secured at W. R. Abbott's jewelry store.

June 9, 1873—d5t.

SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE

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Tuesday Evening, June 10th,

America's Greatest Artiste,

MISS

JANE COOMBS!

AS .... JULIET

In Shakespeare's Sublime Tragedy of

Romeo and Juliet

Supported by a powerful DRAMATIC COMPANY, and produced with

Superb Costumes and Appointments.

Admission, 50 and 75 Cents.

RESERVED SEATS, ONE DOLLAR,

For sale at Abbott's Jewelry Store.

J. W. ALLINSON,

June 5-5t, Business Manager.

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF MACON. } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D. 1873.

SAMUEL CLARK vs. MOSES C. HICKS. } Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above named Moses C. Hicks, that a writ of Attachment, dated June 5, 1873, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the Clerk of said court at the suit of the said above named Samuel Clark, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred and Nineteen Dollars and Forty-three cents, and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said court, give bail and plead in said cause, by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said court in the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court-house in the city of Decatur and county aforesaid, commencing on the

28th day of July, A. D. 1873,

Judgment will be rendered against you and in favor of the said Samuel Clark for said sum of Four Thousand One Hundred and Nineteen Dollars and Forty-three Cents and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Dated June 6, 1873.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Robinson, Knapp & Shutt, Plff's Att'ys, June 6, 1873—d4w.

THRESHING MACHINE FOR SALE.

WE have one of A. Gaar & Co.'s Threshing Machines, mounted power, for sale. Very cheap. CREA & EWING.

June 5, 1873-d&wtf.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Daniel Gabman, Deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 18th day of August, A. D. 1873 for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

JOHN E. KINNEY, Administrator

june2-d6w.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY. } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term A. D., 1873.

LEVI GRAYBILL vs. LYDIA GRAYBILL } In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Lydia Graybill, the above named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Lydia Graybill that the said complainant heretofore filed his certain bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable on the

Fourth Monday of July, A. D. 1873,

As is by law required

Now, unless you, the said Lydia Graybill, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon county on the first day of the term thereof, to be held at the Court-house in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the fourth Monday of July, A. D. 1873, as aforesaid, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

A. B. Bunn, Sol. for compl't.

Decatur, June 1, 1873—d4w.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of George T. Shartel, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 21st day of July, A. D., 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

A. A. MURRAY, Executor

June 5, 1873—w6w.

NEW GOODS

MARBLE HALL!

J. R. Race & Co.

Have in stock a full supply of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS, including

CLOTHING, FOR MEN AND BOYS,

SILK AND SOFT HATS,

An unlimited stock of

STRAW HATS,

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, Etc., Etc.

Highest Market Price paid for WOOL!

June 7, 1873—dtf.

LADIES' FINE EMBROIDERED

LINEN SUITS,

MRS. D. C. HICKMAN'S,

Opera House Block.

The Hallett, Davis & Co. Piano!

IS THE BEST IN THE WORLD.

G. F. HARGIS, DECATUR,

AGENT FOR CENTRAL ILLINOIS.

SEND FOR CATALOGUE.

April 23, 1873—dtf.

Reliable Insurance

To H. P. Christie, Agent, Decatur:

GIRARD all right.

WM. E. ROLLO, Gen'l Ag't.

AMAZON—Loss light in Boston; will settle at once. D. B. WEST, Sec'y.

AGRICULTURAL—No loss in Boston, as you are aware we insure nothing but detached dwelling property. ISAAC MUNSON, Sec'y.

CONTINENTAL—Loss only $800,000 in Boston; will be promptly met dollar for dollar. R. J. TAYLOR, Sup't.

The losses of the ORIENT do not impair stability or efficiency of the company. S. & B. W. FRENCH, Gen'l Agts.

NATIONAL, of Bangor, Maine, all right go ahead. ROB'T GREER, Western Manager.

FARMERS, MERCHANTS AND MANUFACTURERS, of Hamilton, O. No losses. F. B. LANDIS, Sec'y.

CONNECTICUT, of Hartford, amply able to meet Boston losses. M. BENNETT, Jr., Sec'y.

"OLD GERMAN," of Freeport, no losses strictly a home company. F. GUND, Sec'y.

KANSAS, of Leavenworth, undisturbed by Boston fire.

Policies written and losses promptly adjusted, by

H. P. CHRISTIE,

Insurance, Real Estate Agent, and Notary Public, Decatur. [nov 11

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Trading Palace!

No. 18 Merchant-St.,

Decatur, - Illinois,

HAS OPENED THE FINEST and LARGEST stock of

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CONSISTING OF

HOOP SKIRTS of our own manufacture, CORSETS, BUSTLES, LADIES' WHITE UNDERWEAR, LACES, TRIMMINGS, EMBROIDERIES, etc., etc.

A LARGE

Variety of Notions!

RIBBONS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, etc.

In fact everything belonging to a first-class establishment will be found here.

The ladies of Decatur and vicinity will do well to call on M. Goldberg, the proprietor, and examine his goods before purchasing elsewhere.

HOOP SKIRTS MADE TO ORDER. All Hoop Skirts and Bustles bought of us are warranted, and kept in repair FREE OF CHARGE.

M. GOLDBERG.

Decatur, April 11, 1873—dawly.

NEW

VEGETABLE STORE.

ABNER KOBB

Has opened a new Vegetable Stand in Wm. Cantrill's new brick building,

31 North Main Street,

WHERE

Fresh Lettuce, Radishes, Cabbage, Asparagus, Oranges and Lemons,

Can be procured every day from this date, and other vegetables and fruit in season. Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

Decatur, May 6-d6m.

PURE WINES.

THE UNDERSIGNED beg leave to call the attention of the trade, the medical profession, invalids, and the public generally to their assortment of pure wines, including

Catawba, Concord and California Hock.

Also, a choice article of

WINE BITTERS.

With the exception of the California Hock these wines are of our own manufacture and are warranted free from adulterations of any kind. Wine furnished at from

$1,35 to $1,75 PER GALLON,

Or in bottles if desired.

Liberal discount to the trade.

Harpstrite & Shlaudeman

Decatur, May 19, 1873—d6m.

CITY TAX NOTICE!

THE LEGISLATURE having legalized all informalities in the city assessment for 1872 and prior years, public notice is hereby given to all tax-payers who are in arrears, wishing to save cost, that payment must be made without further delay, as I shall commence to collect by levy on the 20th inst. without respect of persons.

R. H. BROWN, City Collector

May 10, 1873—d10t.

A. L. BROCKWAY

PAPER HANGER and CALSOMINER.

WILL attend to hanging Window Shades and putting down carpets, and all other jobs in his line, at a short notice. Orders left at Abel & Locke's carpet store will receive prompt attention.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

May 21—d 3mos.

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March 27, 1873—d-tf.

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Dry Goods, No

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Decatur, May 8, 1873-dtf.

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None Better in the W

No mixing, compounding, or rectifying; but all goods in origin... with two cent stamp, as they c... of Distillery Bonded Warehouse. Wholesale orders filled (in bond paid).

Orders intrusted to me shall h... best attention. SATISFACTION ANTEED.

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No. 40 East Main street, keep a full... of S. S. Clarke's celebrated Sour Ma... bon Whisky, and sell it pure as... ceived. B. B. RICHA

April 19, 1873—dtf.

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One door south of B. N. Adams... where he will keep const... Cakes, Pies, &c. His success in the past, in caterin... tastes of the public, is sufficient gu... a like success in the future.

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Furnished with Pastry, Ice Cream... short notice. Satisfaction warran...

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Trading Palace!

No. 18 Merchant-St.,

Decatur, - Illinois,

HAS OPENED THE FINEST and LARGEST stock of

LADIES'

Furnishing Goods

CONSISTING OF

HOOP SKIRTS of our own manufacture, CORSETS, BUSTLES, LADIES' WHITE UNDERWEAR, LACES, TRIMMINGS, EMBROIDERIES, etc., etc.

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A LARGE

Variety of Notions!

RIBBONS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, etc.

In fact everything belonging to a first-class establishment will be found here.

The ladies of Decatur and vicinity will do well to call on M. Goldberg, the proprietor, and examine his goods before purchasing elsewhere.

HOOP SKIRTS MADE TO ORDER—All Hoop Skirts and Bustles bought of us are warranted, and kept in repair FREE OF CHARGE.

M. GOLDBERG.

Decatur, April 11, 1873—dawly.

NEW

VEGETABLE STORE.

ABNER KOBB

Has opened a new Vegetable Stand in Wm Cantrill's new brick building,

31 North Main Street,

WHERE

Fresh Lettuce, Radishes, Cabbage, Asparagus, Oranges and Lemons,

Can be procured every day from this date, and other vegetables and fruit in season.

Goods delivered to any part of the city free of charge.

Decatur, May 6-dtm.

PURE WINES

—o—

THE UNDERSIGNED beg leave to call the attention of the trade, the medical profession, invalids, and the public generally to their assortment of pure wines, including

Catawba, Concord

AND California Hock.

Also, a choice article of

WINE BITTERS.

With the exception of the California Hock these wines are of our own manufacture, and are warranted free from adulterations of any kind. Wine furnished at from

$1,35 to $1,75 PER GALLON,

Or in bottles if desired.

Liberal discount to the trade.

Harpstrite & Shlaudeman

Decatur, May 10, 1873—d6m

CITY TAX NOTICE!

—o—

THE LEGISLATURE having legalized all informalities in the city assessment for 1872, and prior years, public notice is hereby given to all tax-payers who are in arrears wishing to save cost, that payment must be made without further delay, as I shall commence to collect by levy on the 20th inst without respect of persons.

H. H. BROWN, City Collector

May 1, 1873—d10t.

A. L. BROCKWAY

PAPER HANGER

and CALSOMINER,

WILL attend to hanging Window Shades and putting down carpets, and all other jobs in his line, at short notice. ORDERS left at Abel & Locke's carpet store will receive prompt attention.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

May 21—d 3mos.

DRY GOODS.

BIGGEST STOCK

—OF—

Spring Goods!

YOU EVER SAW,

AT

Hays & Bruce's.

March 27, 1873—d-tf.

S. Einstein's

NEW DRY GOODS HOUSE,

No. 21 North Water St.,

—IS—

THE CHEAPEST PLACE

TO BUY

Dry Goods, Notions AND Fancy Goods.

Give Him a Trial!

Decatur, May 8, 1873-dtf.

ESTABLISHED 1842.

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S. S. Clarke's Copper Distillery,

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C. W. S.

Mellwood Whisky!

—o—

OLD STYLE, HAND-MADE SOUR MASH—the favorite of all Whisky.

None Better in the World!

No mixing, compounding, equalizing, or rectifying; but all goods in original packages, with two cent stamp, as they come out of Distillery Bonded Warehouse

Wholesale orders filled (in bond or duty paid).

Orders intrusted to me shall have my best attention. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED

B. B. RICHARDS,

Wholesale Agent for the Northwest,

P. O. Box, 96, DECATUR, ILL.

S. S. CLARK, Louisville, Ky, 40 W. Main st.

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HACKETT & KEEFE,

No. 40 East Main street, keep a full supply of S. S. Clarke's celebrated Sour Mash Bourbon Whisky, and sell it pure as when received.

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Rustic Vases,

—AND—

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Terra Cotta Baskets, Pots and Vases!

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TRELLISES!

For Flowers and Vines,

From 18 inches to 10 feet.

—AT—

J. H. LEWIS & CO'S

May 21, 1873—d1w

The Chemistry of Divine Providence has never produced a mineral water which combines in such perfection the qualities of anti-bilious tonic and cathartic medicine, as that of the Seltzer Spa, and Tarrant's Effervescent Seltzer Aperient is the artificial counterpart of that great natural remedy.

PARIS AND DECATUR

RAILROAD.

New Through Route to the East,

No change of Cars between Decatur and Indianapolis.

—o—

ON AND AFTER MAY 25, 1873, the Day Express will leave Decatur at 10:00 a. m., running through to Indianapolis without change of cars, arriving at the latter city at 6:40 p. m., making direct and close connection with trains for

CINCINNATI,

LOUISVILLE,

COLUMBUS,

CLEVELAND,

And all Eastern Cities, making as quick time with less changes than any other route. One of the splendid Palace Day Coaches,

"City of Paris," and "City of Arcola,"

Will leave on each Express train. These Coaches being the finest in the West, offer unequalled inducements to passengers going East or South.

Accommodation Trains

For Paris and the East,

Stopping at all way stations, leave Decatur at 2:35 p. m.; Day Express for Mattoon and intermediate stations, at 7 50 a. m.; Accommodation at 2:35 p. m., connecting at Mattoon with the I. & St. L. R. R., for all points East and West, and with the Ills Cent. for points South.

THE ATTENTION OF

SHIPPERS!

Is respectfully called to our new Cincinnati and Baltimore freight lines. We claim to have far superior facilities for shipping freight to and from those points, as well as equal facilities for all other routes for New York, Boston, and all Eastern points.

Through rates and any information cheerfully given by our Agent, C. H. BROWN, at Ill C. Depot.

The patronage of passengers and shippers is respectfully solicited.

Trains arrive from the East as follows:—Accommodation from Mattoon, at 9:25 a. m.; Accommodation from Paris, and Express from Mattoon, at 1:25 p. m.; Day Express, at 9:35 p. m. All trains start from and arrive at I. C. Depot, and stop going either way at our Depot on Main street.

F. C. STRATTON, Gen'l Freight Ag't — G. C. MAC, Gen'l Sup't.

CHILLION JONES, Gen'l Pass. Ag't

May 20th, 1873.

Come and See Me!

IF YOU WANT THE

Best Bread in Town,

Fresh Pies and Cakes,

Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,

Oysters in Every Style,

or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.

South Main Street,

two doors north of Imboden's Meat Market

B. F. STEPHENS.

January 6 1873-dtf.

WANTED—A situation as book-keeper or clerk in store; the first preferred. For information apply to Wm. Young, No North Water street. [may5-dim 6

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, June 9.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* **per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion.** Rates for time advertisements will be furnished, upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Official City and County Paper.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Strawberries are not so plentiful as usual, and prices rule high.

...New subscribers to both the Daily and Weekly REPUBLICAN are sending in their names every day.

..Harpstrite & Shlaudeman's new malt house is approaching completion. It will be, when finished, an immense building.

...I file a demurrer to your *pleadings*—as an enraged father said to a worthless fellow who was teazing his daughter to marry him, as he kicked him into the streets.

...On West Eldorado street may be seen a cherry tree, upon some branches of which are full grown cherries, and upon others full blossoms.

...There will be a union love feast service of the two Methodist Churches at Stapp's Chapel this evening, commencing at 7½ o'clock.

...Mrs. J. H. Lewis goes East to day on a visiting tour among the friends and relatives of early days. She will be absent several weeks.

...Patrick McLaughlin, porter at the Priest House, died suddenly yesterday afternoon.

..The Sandusky *Journal* says that the weather was too warm last week to read with any comfort a newspaper discussion on the subject of patent house heaters. Ditto here. Thoughts of ice cream and soda water are more agreeable, and the reality still more palatable. Give us a dish of cream and we will defer the patent heater business to a more convenient season.

...Mr. W. F. McEuen is taking a few weeks rest from business at his old home in Tonawanda, New York.

...We call attention to an important communication of the Ladies' Library Association given to-day in another column. It relates to matters in which every citizen should feel an interest.

...Our exchanges bring us notices from all directions of preparations for celebrating the glorious Fourth. In our own city the firemen have taken the matter in hand and will doubtless get up a right good celebration. We believe the Fair Ground is the place selected for the festivities of the day.

...A wag who had the misfortune to board where the bread was always soggy, upon reading the parable of the woman who hid leven in three measures of meal till the whole was levened, said he wished his landlady would hire that woman to cook.

..We notice in the Arcola *Record* the marriage of Mr. Oscar R. Henson, mail agent on the Paris and Decatur Rail Road, to Miss Annie M. Henry. Mr. Henson is to bring his bride to this city and become one (or rather two) of us.

...The capacity of the water works was tested this morning in the presence of the Mayor of Danville and some other gentlemen from abroad. Two streams were thrown at once, and the test was highly satisfactory to the visiting gentlemen.

...The Hillsboro *News Letter* says: "The 'feather men' will leave town this week after a stay of three months." We have heard of wooden men, brass men and men of iron, but 'feather men' would be a curiosity in these parts.

...Wm McKee was before Justice Misner this morning charged with drunkenness. This being the second offence within a few days he was charged a slight advance upon the usual bill for a plain drunk. Five dollars with incidentals settled the bill.

...The assessor is making his cheerful rounds, prying into the secrets of people's financial condition and laying the foundation for next fall's crop of taxes. He is a necessary evil, whose presence cannot be avoided, but must be endured.

...The Sunday School of the First M. E. Church has procured one hundred and fifty copies of a new singing book, entitled "The Royal Diadem." It is a choice selection of songs and tunes, nearly all new, and well adapted to Sunday School purposes. This school is in a very prosperous condition under the superintendence of J. R. Gorin, Esq., assisted by Mr. A. H. Corman. The average attendance reaches about three hundred.

.Hon. T. H. Mires, mayor of Danville, and O Shelby, Esq, superintendent of the I. B. & W. rail road, with T. L. Cherry, of Covington, Indiana, were shown about town yesterday by his Honor Mayor Forstmyer, accompanied by some members of the City Council. They visited the water works, rolling mill, and other points of interest. They expressed themselves as highly pleased with our water works, and Mr. Mires thinks he will press the matter upon the attention of the Danville people, with a view to securing their adoption there as soon as possible. The company was entertained at the rolling mill by Capt. Samuels. These gentlemen were well pleased with the general appearance of prosperity which our city exhibits, and will carry a good report of us to their homes

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Ladies' Library Association on Saturday evening, June 7th, a report of the committee appointed at the last annual meeting to examine the law with regard to public libraries and reading rooms was read, and the following resolutions adopted:

Resolved, That the said report be accepted with thanks, and a copy be supplied for printing in the city papers.

Resolved, That a meeting of the life members of this Association be and is hereby called for Thursday evening, at 7½ o'clock P. M., to be held in the Library Rooms on Merchant street, at which a full attendance is desired, to consider the suggestion made in said report, hereto appended.

REPORT.

To the Ladies of the Decatur Library Association:

The undersigned committee, appointed at the last annual meeting of your Association to examine the law for the establishment of public libraries and reading rooms in the cities and towns of this State, and to give their opinion of the propriety and expediency of converting the library of your Association into a public library under the provisions of said law, would respectfully report: That by the terms of said law the City Council may establish a free library and reading room, for the use of the inhabitants of the city, and may levy an annual tax of not exceeding one-tenth of one per cent. upon the taxable property of the city for the maintenance of the same; the Mayor of the city, with the approval of the Council, to appoint a directory of nine citizens, who are to manage the same without compensation—one-third of said directory to be changed each year.

And it occurs to your committee that if the ladies are willing, on account of the deep interest they feel in the moral and intellectual welfare of the city, to donate the very fine collection of books, magazines, papers, etc., which they have with so much labor and judgment secured, and those holding life membership tickets are willing to relinquish them, that the city ought certainly to thankfully accept them, and to maintain forever hereafter, a Free Public Library and Reading Room for the use of its citizens.

Your committee would further suggest that a very proper way of bringing the matter before the Council for their action, would be by petition.

F. N. EWING,
W. A. BARNES,
A. T. HILL,
W. H. ENNIS,
JOSEPH MILLS,
Committee.

May 20, 1873.

Houses to Rent.—In Saturday's issue we called attention to the demand which exists in the city for rentable dwellings—such as could be rented at figures which mechanics and laboring men can afford to pay. Dwellings for this purpose need not be expensive structures. Let them be built with from four to six rooms, with a good cellar, pantry and a good supply of closets, then let a good well and cistern be provided when access cannot be had to the water works. These accommodations, with suitable out buildings, would furnish inviting and comfortable homes to such of our mechanics, clerks and laboring men as are unable to build; and could be afforded in localities where lots are not high priced at from ten to twenty dollars per month, and would be a good paying investment for landlords at those figures. As manufactories of various kinds spring up among us there will be a large accession to the mechanical and laboring classes of our citizens. As they come among us let them find comfortable and convenient homes awaiting them.

A Hefty Quartette.—On Saturday four lady acquaintances, rather above the average size, happened to meet at A. H. Imboden's grocery store. As there were some friendly jokes as to their respective dimensions, it was proposed to step upon the scales and be weighed. The result of this operation showed an aggregate weight of 749 pounds. Towns sometimes boast of their solid men; but we think Decatur bears off the palm in the matter of solid women.

Coroner's Inquest.—An inqest was held this morning over the body of Patrick McLaughlin, who died suddenly at the Priest House yesterday. The following named jurors were called by Coroner Gisler to determine the case.

Dr. B A Allison, Foreman; E H Mills, J P Churchman, Dr C Chenoweth, W W Mason, A Leforgee, Wm F Martin, J N Baker, Silas Livergood, John Hostetler and Dr R S Walston.

After the examination of witnesses the following verdict was reached:

"We the undersigned Coroner's jury, summoned to determine the causes of Patrick McLaughlin's death, being duly sworn, and having examined all the testimony within our reach, decide that he came to his death by causes unknown to us, but that the causes were probably congestive fever in some of its forms; and we further think it proper to state, under the circumstances, that he did not come to his death by injuries received, or by violence at the hands of any one."

Police Record.—John Valentine was before Justice Albert on Saturday night to settle his bill for a plain drunk. The Squire charged him three dollars and incidentals

Personal.—T. H. Miles, mayor of Danville, and O. Sheeby, superintendent of the I. B. & W rail road, are at the St. Nicholas. Also T L. Cherry, Esq., an extensive stock dealer from Covington, Indiana

Special Notice.—The members of the "Mystic Krewe" are requested to meet at Macon Hall this evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, to organize and transact other important business

The Churches Yesterday.—At Stapp's Chapel quarterly meeting services were held. In the absence of the Presiding Elder, Dr. Stevenson, the pastor, preached an able sermon from Isaiah 64: 6-7. In the evening the members of the First Church joined with this in the sacramental service, which was very impressive. We noticed several members from other Churches joining in the service.

At the First M. E. Church, the pastor, Rev. N. P. Heath, officiated in the morning, there being no service in the evening for the reason above indicated.

At the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Mr. Moffatt, the pastor, officiated, and preached to good congregations, morning and evening.

The United Brethren Church was well attended; preaching by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Field.

At the Christian Church Elder Waggoner, of Harristown, preached morning and evening.

At the Bethel Church Rev. Mr. Soule officiated with his usual earnestness and ability.

At the Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Mr Bonham, officiated, preaching in the evening a sermon on temperance, in which he made some telling points.

Real Estate Transfers.—The following transfers of real estate have been filed for record in the Macon county Recorder's office, since our last report

Ingraham Leaky to John Murphy, Lot 8, block 22, Carver's Addition to Decatur; warranty deed, dated May 19, 1873—$250.

.. John Scott and wife to Wm Davis, ne qr ne qr sec 18, town 15, range 3 east, warranty deed, dated Dec 22, 1872—$1,600.

Sarah Benlun to Wm Davis, n hf w hf ne qr sec 18, town 15, range 3 east; warranty deed, dated Feb 12, 1873—$1,600

William H Oren to Gus W and Andrew Hall; Lots 10 and 11, block 1, Renshaw's Addition.

Begun.—Ground was broken this morning for the foundation of W. F. Busher's new building, opposite the post office. The building will be 61 feet deep, and two stories high, and when completed will be occupied as a printing office by the publishers of the REPUBLICAN

THE

Fine Shoes for Gentlemen's Wear, at

POWERS, FERRISS & CO'S,

18 East Main street, Decatur, Illinois.

June 5-dtf

At Cash to Close Business. Having determined to close our present business, we offer our entire stock of Carpets, Wall Paper, Curtains, &c., *at cost,* for cash. Our stock is new and desirable. This is the best opportunity ever offered to obtain goods at cost. We mean all we say—the stock must be closed out in the next sixty days. Come early and make selections. WM. J. QUINLAN & BRO.

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Excellent and rich flavored Ice Cream manufactured by machinery. Large and full dishes, 5 and 10 cents, at

j23d MILLER'S CONFECTIONERY.

NERVOUS DEBILITY.

A depressed, irritable state of mind; a weak, nervous, exhausted feeling; no energy or animation; confused head, weak memory, often with debilitating, involuntary discharges. The consequence of excesses, mental overwork or indiscretions This **NERVOUS DEBILITY finds a sovereign cure in HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFIC, No. 28.** It tones up the system, arrests discharges, dispels the mental gloom and despondency, and rejuvenates the entire system. It is perfectly harmless and always efficient. Price $5, for a package of five boxes and a large $2 vial of powder, which is important in old, serious cases; or $1 per single box. Sold by ALL Druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price Address HUMPHREYS' SPECIFIC HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINE CO., No. 562 BROADWAY, N Y

FOR SALE BY

J. S. HAND & CO.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, May 28, 1873.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1 30@1.10
" White	1,30@1,50
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5.00
" red	4.50
" superfine,	4.25
" middlings,	2.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	60
RYE—₩ bushel	50
CORN—₩ bushel	25
" shelled, per bush	28
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton	8,00@10,00
OATS—₩ bushel	21@23
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1 35
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	3,50
CLOVER SEED—	6,00@7,00
HUNGARIAN	1,50
BEANS—₩ bushel	2,75
BUTTER—₩ lb	20
EGGS—per doz.	10
LARD—₩ lb	06½
BACON—Sides	8
HAMS—sugar-cured	15
SHOULDERS—per lb	07
HOGS—Live, per hundred	1,25
CATTLE—	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	60,
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	0?
APPLES—	10@5
" Green ₩ bus	15@00
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	25@27
" coarse & long	27@30
" combing	30@35
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	30@42
" coarse & long	38@40
" combing	15@00
" Tubwashed	15@16
" and picked	17@50
HIDES—Green ₩ lb	06@07
" Salted cured,	09@10
" Calf,	10@11
" Dry salt	12½
" Dry Flint	16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	1 00@1 40
(Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.)	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	50@60
" Common, ₩ lb	25@40

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Seth W. Brock, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 16th day of June, A. D 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

MARY ANN BROCK, Administratrix.

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Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's Shoe store

DRY GOODS.

1873. SPRING. 1873.

LINN & SCRUGGS

Have now open the newest importations of

SPRING AND SUMMER FRENCH AND ENGLISH

DRESS GOODS,

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings.

Also, a full line of

Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, Shawls, Parasols, Corsets, Hoop-Skirts, Hosiery, Gloves, Calicoes, Bleached and Brown Cottons, Checks, Ginghams, Denims, Cottonades, Table Linens, Napkins, and Quilts, together with a LARGE VARIETY OF OTHER GOODS,

AT LOWEST MARKET PRICES!!

SPECIALTIES.

Bonnet, Ponson & Guinet's Black Silks; the Peerless Black Alpacas; the Old Dominion Buck Gloves.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

April 8, 1873-dawtf.

City Book Store!

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON!

Have on hand the MOST COMPLETE STOCK of

Miscellaneous, School & Blank Books

IN THE CITY. Also, a full and complete stock of

CHROMOS, PICTURES and FRAMES

STEREOSCOPES, BASKETS,

And every article usually found in a Book Store.

May 28, 1873—d-tw-tf

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

Macon county Court, May term, 1873,

Reuben H. Meriwether, Executor of the will of Willis Martin, dec'd, vs. Mary Smith, Susan Shafer, J. N. Martin, Elizabeth Whitney, George Martin, Albert Platner, Henry Platner, Katherine Platner, Margaret Platner, Adin Platner, John Platner, Rilla Platner, Ellen O'Brian and John O'Brian.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed a petition in said Court to sell lot 6, block 2 of Martin Forstmeyer's addition to the city of Decatur, to pay the debts of the estate of said Willis Martin, deceased

Now, therefore, you, the said defendants, are required to appear before said Court, to be held at the Court-house in Decatur, on the 19th day of May of said year, and plead, answer, or demur, or the said petition will be taken as true, and a decree entered accordingly. HENRY W. WAGGONER, Clerk of said Court

REUBEN H. MERIWETHER.

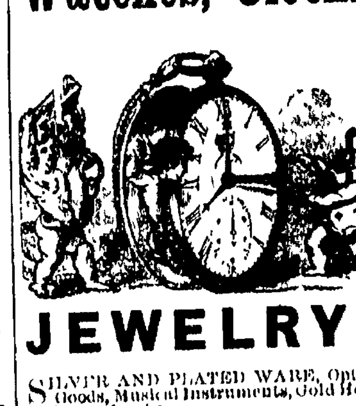
J. S. Post Solicitor. [ap12 d4t

A LARGE AND ELEGANT

SELECTION OF STYLES!

—IN—

Watches, Clocks,



JEWELRY!

SILVER AND PLATED WARE, Optical Goods, Musical Instruments, Gold Headed Canes, &c., &c

J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street.

P. S.—All kinds of repairing in my line will be promptly attended to

April 21—d&wtf.

NEW STEAM ENGINE

FOR SALE.

THE CITY OF DECATUR offers for sale a new Steam Engine, 25 horse power, cylinder 10x20. fly wheel, governor, Ives' balanced slide valve, link motion—the whole finished and polished in the best style. The engine has never been used, having been built for the city water works before it was decided to use the Holly engine and pumps. For terms and price apply to Geo. P. Hardy City Register.

M FORSTMEYER, Mayor.

April 21—d&w-tf.

F. W. NIEDERMEYER,

—DEALER IN—

Groceries, Provisions!

Queensware, and Feed.

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STORE—Corner North Monroe and West Eldorado streets, west of the Mound Decatur, Ill. [nov22-daw,ly

Organize, Organize,

AND BUY AT WHOLESALE

SEND FOR PRICE LIST

—OF—

Nursery Stock,

GROWN IN THIS COUNTY

Evergreens, Shade Trees, &c., &c., and ...

Orders by mail promptly attended to

H. W. DAVIS,

Box 111, Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, March 1, 1873—tf

REMOVAL!

Jas. Sage & Son

Have removed to

Opera House Block!

WHERE they will be pleased to see all their old customers and plenty of new ones.

—o—

HARDWARE, TINWARE

STOVES,

Nails, Glass, &c.,

As cheap as the cheapest.

—o—

ALL KINDS OF

REPAIRING,

Roofing, Spouting and Guttering,

Done on short notice, and all our work warranted. [dec5-d&wly.

George Steinen!

GARDENER,

CORNER OF EAST NORTH and JASPER Sts., two blocks south of the Rolling Mill.

Plants and Flowers!

Of all kinds on hand and for sale, Radishes, onions, lettuce, &c., ready for market.

On account of the death of my wife I offer my property

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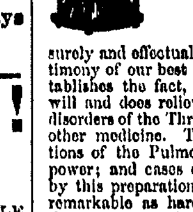

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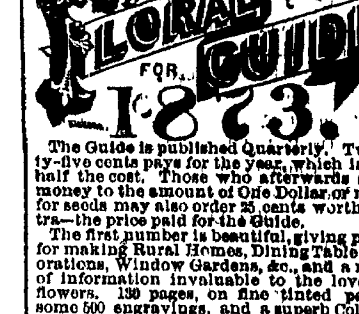

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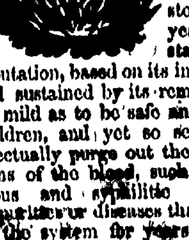

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